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Will despatch Steamers as follows :—

FOR COAST AND CALCUTTA.

S. S. SOCOTRA, 1,947 Tons, on THURSDAY, 28th October, 1880, at 3p. m., calling at Rutnagherry, Vingoria, Goa, Carwar, Mangalore, Cannanore, Tellicherry, Beypore, Calicut, Cochin, Alleppey, Tuticorin, Colombo, Galle, Negapatam, Pondicherry, Madras, Masulipatam, Coconada, Vizagapatam, Bimlipatam, Gopalpore, False Point, in the foregoing or any order, weather permitting.

FOR KURRACHEE AND PERSIAN GULF.

THE S.S. ABYSSINIA, 1,129 Tons, on TUESDAY, 26th October, at 4 p.m., calling at Kurrachee, Gwadur, Jask, Bunder Abbas, Lingah, Bahrein, Bushire, Fao and Busreh, in the foregoing or any order.

FOR CUTCH MANDAVIE AND KURRACHEE.

S. S. PUTTIALLA, 839 Tons, on SATURDAY, 23rd October, 1880, at 10 a. m.

FOR RANGOON.

S. S. CHINDWARA, 1,983 Tons, on WEDNESDAY, 27th October, 1880, calling at Cochin, Colombo, and Negapatam.

FOR ADEN, ZANZIBAR, MOZAMBIQUE, INHAMBANE, QUILLIMANE, AND DELAGOA BAY.

THE S. S. JAVA, 1,467 Tons, on THURSDAY, 18th November, 1880.

N.B.—EXPORTS.—To save shippers the trouble of clearing and shipping, shipments not exceeding five tons will be received, and Bills of Lading granted in exchange at the Offices of the undersigned.

Railway receipts for packages from up-country should be forwarded to the undersigned, who will undertake clearance and shipment.

IMPORTS.—The undersigned undertake the landing, clearing and delivery in Bombay or forwarding by rail or steamer packages by the Company's Steamers. Bills of Lading and particulars of contents and value should accompany forwarding instructions.

MACKINNON, MACKENZIE & Co.,
Elphinstone Circle, Bombay, 21st October, 1880. Agents.

STEAM COMMUNICATION with ITALY VIA SUEZ CANAL.

ITALIAN STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY of Messrs. R. RUBATTINO & Co., GENOA.

The Regular Steamers Leave GENOA and BOMBAY on the 21th, on the 1st *of each Month.*

PASSENGERS' RATES FROM BOMBAY.

[Inclusive of all Transit Fees through the Suez Canal.]

	1st Class.	2nd Class.	3rd Class.
Aden	Rs. 220	Rs. 150	Rs. 40
Suez	„ 360	„ 220	„ 80
Port Said	„ 380	„ 240	„ 90
Messina	„ 500	„ 300	„ 120
Naples	„ 500	„ 340	„ 140
Leghorn	„ 500	„ 340	„ 140
Genoa	„ 500	„ 340	„ 140
Marseilles	„ 520	„ 350	„ 145

Including Wines. Without food.

Children under 3 years, free of charge; Children not above 10 years, half-fare.

Passengers' heavy Baggage will be delivered in LONDON FREE of CHARGE to the extent allowed in the Handbooks. All extra Luggage will be charged for at rates which can be learnt from the Agent.

Next steamers from Bombay :—

MANILLA, to sail on MONDAY, 1st November, 1880.
SUMATRA, to sail on WEDNESDAY, 1st December, 1880.

All Steamers of this Company have large First and Second Class accommodation, and always carry a Doctor and a Stewardess on board.

The Steamers of this Company start precisely at 12 noon Any unavoidable detention will, however, be advertised at least one day previously.

First and Second Class Through Railway Tickets, from GENOA and NAPLES to LONDON, are issued here at such rates which can be learnt from the undersigned.

Cargo for Barcelona and Odessa can be booked at through-rates.

For Hand-books of information, rates of Freight, &c., apply to

F. BOZZONI,
Agent, Rubattino S. N. Company,
Sassoon House, Elphinstone Circle.
Bombay, 1st October, 1880.

HALL LINE OF STEAMERS.

FORTNIGHTLY BETWEEN
BOMBAY AND LIVERPOOL
(VIA MALTA).

THE following sailings have been arranged :—

s.s. SPEKE HALL	Sailing about	24th Oct.
s.s. BRANKSOME HALL	do.	10th Nov.
s.s. CITY OF BALTIMORE.	do.	1st Dec.
s.s. TRENTHAM HALL	do.	18th Dec.
s.s. RYDALL HALL	do.	31st Dec.
s.s. WISTOW HALL	do.	15th Jan.

These fast Steamers have been specially built and adapted in every way for the Bombay Trade.

Each Steamer carries a SURGEON and STEWARDESS.

For plans, hand-books of information, and any further particulars apply to

EDWARD BATES & Co.
W. & A. GRAHAM & Co. } Agents.

Bombay, 23rd Sept., 1880.

ANCHOR LINE

OF
TRANSATLANTIC, PENINSULAR, MEDITERRANEAN, AND INDIAN STEAMSHIPS.

INDIAN SERVICE between BOMBAY, LIVERPOOL, and MEDITERRANEAN.

	Commanders	Tons.	H.P.	Noml.	
s.s. HISPANIA	James Laird	3300	400	about	8th Dec.
s.s. MACEDONIA	Thos Martin	2272	486	to follow.	
s.s. THINACRIA	L. White	2197	424		do.
s.s. INDIA	Geo. H. Read	2289	500		do.
s.s. BRITANNIA	R. Hutchison	3060	400		do.

These Steamers have been specially fitted for the Indian Trade, and have accommodation for a large number of Saloon Passengers.

Each Steamer carries a SURGEON and STEWARDESS.

Fare through to	
New York	Rs. 600
Liverpool	„ 500
Marseilles and Genoa	„ 450
Naples	„ 400

For plans, hand-books of information, and for any further information apply to

W. & A. GRAHAM & Co., Agents.

Graham's Buildings, Bombay.

N.B.—The New York passages are booked in connection with the Company's Atlantic Mail Service, either from Greenock or from London.

There are weekly sailings from either place.

P. GRANT & SON,

SADDLERS
AND
HARNESS MAKERS,
31, MEADOWS STREET,
BOMBAY.

SHIPPING.

PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL COMPANY.

STEAM to SOUTHAMPTON, BRINDISI, VENICE, MARSEILLES, ADEN, SUEZ, MALTA, AND GIBRALTAR.

THE following or other Steamers will be despatched as follows :—

Vessels.	Tons.	H.P.	Captains.	1880.
— SUMATRA	2188	450	R. F. Briscoe	23rd Oct.
s. PESHAWUR	3900	600	D. Rennoldson	30th „
— BANGALORE	2342	450	H. Wyatt	6th Nov.
s. INDUS	3462	600	S. D. Shallard	13th „
— SURAT	3142	530	W. E. Breeze	20th „
s. NIZAM	2725	450	G. W. Brady	27th „

Passengers are booked to ADEN, SUEZ, BRINDISI VENICE, MARSEILLES, MALTA, GIBRALTAR, and SOUTHAMPTON by every Mail. The Steamers marked (s) proceed direct to Southampton. By the others Passengers change vessels at Suez, and those for Brindisi, Venice, and Marseilles are conveyed by Rail from Suez to Alexandria.

STEAM TO CEYLON, PENANG, STRAITS, CHINA, JAPAN, KING GEORGE'S SOUND, ADELAIDE, MELBOURNE, AND SYDNEY, CALLING AT GALLE.

Vessels.	Tons.	H.P.	Captains.	1880.
ANCONA	3694	600	E. G. Stead	22nd Oct.
KASHGAR	2021	450	W. A. Seaton	5th Nov.

A Launch leaves the Company's Dock-Head, Mazagon, at 3 p.m. on the day of sailing.

Return Tickets at reduced rates available for 3 months are now issued :—

From Bombay to Brindisi or Venice and back ..... Rs. 950
Do. do. with option of travelling one way *viâ* Southampton ..... Rs. 1,000
1st Class. 2nd Class.
Do. to Galle (available for 2 months) 150 75
Do. to Penang and Singapore (do) 450 255

F. D. PARKER,
Superintendent, P. & O. S. N. Company.
Bombay, 7th Oct., 1880.

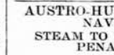
P. & O. S. N. COMPANY.

MELBOURNE EXHIBITION.

SPECIAL FIRST CLASS RETURN TICKETS, available for SIX MONTHS, will be issued to Passengers visiting the Exhibition by the steamer of the 4th June and subsequent fortnightly steamers, at the REDUCED FARE of RUPEES SIX HUNDRED.

F. D. PARKER,
Superintendent, P. & O. S. N. Company.
Bombay, 7th Oct., 1880.

EXTRA STEAMER TO CHINA, CALLING AT COLOMBO, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE.



THE S. S. "GEELONG" will be DESPATCHED as an extra Steamer to China on the 28th instant. For particulars of Freight, &c., apply to

F. D. PARKER, Superintendent,
Peninsular & Oriental S. N. Co.

AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

STEAM TO HONGKONG *VIA* COLOMBO, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE

THIS Co.'s S. S. VORWAERTS, Captain G. Marussig, will be DESPATCHED as above on the 29th October, 1880. For Freight, Passage, &c., &c., apply to

G. MARINITSCH, Acting Agent.
Sassoon House, 7, Elphinstone Circle, Bombay, Oct. 15, 1880.

AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

STEAM TO TRIESTE VIA ADEN, JEDDA, SUEZ, AND PORT SAID.

THE Company's following steamers will be despatched from Bombay as above.

Vessels.	Captains.	1880.
s.s. NARENTA	G. Mettel	20th Oct.
s.s. TEBE	B. Crillanovich	27th Nov

Rates of Passage-money (exclusive of Wines and Spirits, which can be had on board at moderate prices) as under :—

	1st Class.	2nd Class.	Deck.
To Trieste	Rs. 400	Rs. 280	Rs. 140 0
To Cyprus (via Port Said)	375	295	113 0
To Port Said	320	255	131 0
To Suez	300	240	122 0
To Aden	170	130	66 8

No Cargo will be received on board after sunset on the day previous to sailing.

INSURANCES effected by the General Insurance Company (Limited), Marine Branch.

For further particulars, Freight, Passage, &c., &c., apply to

G. MARINITSCH,
Acting Agent,
Sassoon House, 7, Elphinstone Circle, Bombay,
September 27th, 1880.

SALES BY AUCTION.

BENNETT AND COMPANY.

No. 4, FORBES STREET.

TO-MORROW, SATURDAY, the 23rd instant, Messrs. BENNETT and Co. will sell by Public Auction at their rooms, a quantity of grey and colored piece-goods, &c.

Also, on account of the concerned—

1 Pair very valuable diamond bangles (large.)
1 ditto ditto ditto ditto (small.)
1 ditto ditto diamond ear-rings.
1 Mahogany grand piano by Collard and Collard.

AT 1 P. M.

1 Handsome strong glass-fronted miniature brougham.
1 Do do door shigram.
1 Do strong brougham with grey Arab horse and harness.
3 Do Bay Arab horse and harness.

On MONDAY, the 25th instant, at 1 P.M. Messrs BENNETT and Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction at Rawley Lodge No. 157, Middle Colaba, the valuable and handsome blackwood and teakwood French-polished household furniture, best platedware, rich crockery and glassware, a mahogany full-sized slate billiard table, by Burrowghes and Watts, rich table ornaments, &c., the property of a gentleman proceeding to Europe.

The property will be on view two days before the sale.

On THURSDAY the 28th instant, at 1 p. m., Messrs. BENNETT and Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction, at the Old High Court Building, the valuable and handsome French-polished blackwood and teakwood household furniture, best platedware, rich crockery and glassware, first-rate pictures and oleographs, table ornaments, &c., &c., the property of C. W. Warnford, Esq.

The property will be on view 4 days before the sale.

On SATURDAY next, the 30th instant, at 2 P.M., Messrs. BENNETT and Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction, at No. 3, Grants Building, the valuable and handsome blackwood and teakwood F. P. household furniture, best platedware, rich crockery and glassware, a mahogany grand square pianoforte, by John Broadwood and Sons, first-rate pictures and oleographs, rich table ornaments, &c., &c., the property of J. N. Beyts, Esq., proceeding up-country.

The property will be on view 4 days before the sale.

BENNETT & CO.

Bombay, 22nd October, 1880.

CRAWFORD AND COMPANY,

2, MARINE STREET, BOMBAY.

SALE OF SUPERIOR 1st AND 2nd CLASS MOULMEIN TEAK SQUARES.

TO-MORROW, SATURDAY, the 23rd instant, at 4 p.m., Messrs. CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by Public Auction at Kassara Bunder :—

100 superior 1st class teak squares.
50 „ 2nd „
in small lots to suit purchasers.

TO-MORROW, SATURDAY, the 23rd instant, sale commencing at 1 p.m., Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction at No. 31, Parell Road, opposite the Upna Cottage, the valuable and handsome carved and French-polished blackwood and teakwood household furniture, plated, glass, and porcelainwares, &c., the property of a gentleman, the same comprises rich fern pattern glassware, handsome dinner, dessert and breakfast services, best plated tea and coffee service, cruet and pickle frames, ice pitcher, hotwater curry dishes, table spoons and forks, dessert knives and forks, table and chamber candlesticks, cutlery, and handsomely carved and French-polished furniture, comprising drawing-room, dining, pier, card, washhand and dressing tables, conversation and reclining couches, drawing-room, easy pridieu, arm and without arm chairs, sideboard, screens, teapoys, toilet stands, marble tropilated and teakwood bedsteads, wardrobes, chest of drawers, camp cots, dressing and cheval glasses, Brussel's carpet, 1 and 3 lights hanging, argand lustres, pictures, flower vases, table ornaments, figures, bath and dispense room furniture, &c.

The property is on view.

SALE OF OLEOGRAPHS.

On MONDAY next, the 25th instant, at 2 P. M., Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co. will sell by Public Auction at their rooms.

An invoice of superior oleographs in gilt frames. These are now on view.

USUAL AUCTION SALE.

On MONDAY next, the 25th inst., Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co. will sell by Public Auction at their rooms :—

10 bales grey shirtings.
10 cases white ground prints.
4 „ coloured ground prints.
1 „ boots and shoes.
15 dozen Guinness's Stout in quarts.
30 „ Machen and Co.'s beer in stone pints.
12 „ William Younger and Co.'s beer in pints.
An invoice of superior iron bedsteads.
An invoice of green painted iron treasury safes.
10 cases lucifer matches.
1 case 800 boxes yellow pearl beads.

On account and at the risk of the Indentor Fydally Abdool Ally—

X-A 1-8—8 packages envelopes and curling paper, ex s. s. Vortigern.

On account and at the risk of Hajee Vully Hajee Khummissa—

7 packages haberdashery and ball thread.

On account and at the risk of Abdool Kadur Abdool Hoosein—

Paint and Copal Varnish,

AT 2 P. M.

1 English-built open carriage in good order.
1 handsome light and canoe-shaped barouche.
1 office shigram.

On FRIDAY next, the 29th instant, sale commencing at 1 p.m., Messrs. CRAWFORD & Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction at Mazagon, near the British India Company's Dockyard, the valuable and handsome carved and French-polished blackwood and teakwood household furniture, plated, glass, and porcelainware, the property of the widow of the late Mr. Michael Byrnes, Engineer, S. S. Vingoria, gone to England.

Full particulars will be given hereafter.

On SATURDAY next, the 30th instant, sale commencing at 2 p. m., Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction at the Government House Road, Parell, the valuable and handsome carved and French polished blackwood and teakwood household furniture, plated, glass, and porcelainwares, &c., the property of a gentleman, changing his residence.

Full particulars will be given hereafter.

CRAWFORD & Co.

Bombay, 22nd October, 1880.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

GAIETY THEATRE, BOMBAY.

Lessees.....Messrs. Norville and Crofton.
Season 1880-81.

UNDER THE DISTINGUISHED PATRONAGE OF H. E. THE GOVERNOR OF BOMBAY.

The Season will commence on SATURDAY, November 13th, and will last for 20 weeks.

TRANSFERABLE SEASON TICKETS

Available two nights per week, WEDNESDAY and SATURDAY, 40 Representations.

Stage Box to hold 8 ..... Rs. 960
Private Box to hold 4 ..... „ 480
Orchestra Stall ..... „ 100

BOOK TICKETS.

To suit the convenience of gentlemen who are usually out of town on Saturdays in the season, books will be issued containing 40 Transferable Orchestra Stall Tickets available on any nights except Benefits. Price Rs. 100.

Note.—These Tickets will not be issued after the commencement of the season, when the usual price (Rs. 4) will be charged for an orchestra stall.

Applications for Boxes and Stalls should be made to Messrs. SOUNDY and Co.

Boxes and Stalls will be allotted according to priority of application and payment. Cheques should be drawn in favour of Hongkong and Shanghai Bank for credit of Theatre subscription.

A copy of the Prospectus, showing the subscribers' guarantee, can be had on application to Messrs. Soundy & Co.

The following is the LIST OF SUBSCRIBERS up to date, including purchasers of Book tickets :—

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H. E. the Governor,
H. E. the Commander-in-Chief.
Hon. Mr. Ashburner.
Hon. Mr. Ravenscroft.
Hon. Mr. Melvill.
Hon. Mr. Bayley.
Hon. Mr. Latham.
Mr. W. Maitland.
Capt Morland.
Mr. H. A. Hormarjee
Mr. J. Poutz.
Mr. E. B. Carroll.
Mr. Beaufort.
Mr. J. M. Campbell.
Mr. Fachiri.
Dr. Hojel.
Mr. A. H. Wadia.

STALL HOLDERS.

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Mr. Westall.
Mr. A. Morrison.
Mr. Cormack.
Mr. Smyth.
Mr. Gay.
Mr. Arthur.
Mr. R. Weir.
Mr. J. Wilson.
Mr. H. Stead (2).
Mr. Green.
Mr. E. Spinner.
Mr. J. M. Shields.
Mr. Tobin.
Mr. M. A. Rogay.
Mr. E. M. Walton.
Mr. Marinitsch
Mr. F. G. Itmington.
Mr. L. Rivett-Carnac.
Mr. L. P. Russell.
Mr. G. E. Noble (2.)
Col. Sexton.
Mr. Grattan Geary.
Mr. F. D. Parker.
Mr. H. W. Uloth.
Dr. Cody.
Mr. M.
Mr. Greenwood (2).
Dr. Blanc (2.)
Mr. A. Harvey (2.)
Mr. C. A. Turner (2.)
Dr. Langley (2).
Mr. Sturrock.
Mr. Haworth.
Mr. Dawson.
Mr. Kelly (2).
Mr. W. Gill (2.)
Mr. W. T. Lord.
Mr. Forrest.
Mr. Heinricks.
Mr. W. Taylor.
Capt. Le Breton (2).
Mr. E. B. Archer.
Mr. C. Marcks.
Mr. E. Meiffre.
Mr. S. Reid.
Major Rivett Carnac.

TO BE LET, an upper-storeyed Commodious BUNGALOW at Chopaty, facing the Sea, now put into thorough repairs, whitewashed, and painted. For rent and other particulars apply to

P. BYRAMJEE,
House Agent.
28, Medow Street.

A SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING of the MEMBERS of the ROYAL BOMBAY YACHT CLUB will be held in the Commodore's Office, Sailors' Home, on MONDAY, October 25, 1880, at 5-30 P. M. Members are particularly requested to attend.

J. WEELAN,
Honorary Secretary,
Royal Bombay Yacht Club.
21st October, 1880.

THE ALBERT PRESS COMPANY, Limited.

NOTICE is hereby given that the FIRST DIVIDEND of Rupees 132 (One hundred and thirty-two) per SHARE has been DECLARED, and is made payable on and after MONDAY, the 25th October, 1880, at the Registered Office of the Company, No. 2, Nesbit Lane, Fort, to the SHAREHOLDERS of the Company whose NAMES stood on the Register of Shareholders on the 12th instant, on production of Share-certificates.

By order of the Board of Directors.

JEHANGHEER HORMUSJEE & Co.,
Secretaries and Treasurers.
Bombay, 22nd October, 1880.

GREAT INDIAN PENINSULA RAILWAY COMPANY.

MISCELLANEOUS STORES, KEROSINE OIL, &c.

TENDERS are INVITED for the supply of Miscellaneous PETTY STORES, Articles of COUNTRY PRODUCE, KEROSINE OIL, &c., required by the Company for 12 months from 1st January, 1881. Forms of Tender may be obtained, Samples seen, and further particulars learned upon application at the Storekeeper's Office, Byculla.

Sealed Tenders, if accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 500, in Cash or Government paper, as a guarantee of good faith, will be RECEIVED by the Agent at the Company's Offices Elphinstone Circle, Bombay, up to 1 p.m. on WEDNESDAY, the 17th November, after which hour no Tender will be received.

The Agent does not BIND himself to accept the lowest, nor to assign a reason for the rejection of any Tender.

ALFRED KING, Storekeeper.
Storekeeper's Office, Byculla, 21st October, 1880.

THE undermentioned BANKS will be CLOSED on MONDAY, TUESDAY, and WEDNESDAY, the 1st, 2nd, and 3rd November, on account of the DEWALI HOLIDAYS :—

For the Oriental Bank Corporation,
L. CAMERON, pro. Agent.
For the Chartered Mercantile Bank of India, London, and China,
REG. MURRAY, Agent.
For the Chartered Bank of India, Australia, and China,
THOS. FORREST, Agent.
For the Comptoir D'Escompte de Paris,
FRANCIS VOUTLON, Manager.
For the National Bank of India (Limited),
J. BUCHAN, Acting Manager.
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J. HUTTON, Manager.
For the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation,
G. E. NOBLE, Agent.
Bombay, Oct. 5, 1880.

TREACHER'S SEA SALTS, FOR INLAND SEA BATHING.

Their Solution forms *an exact imitation of* PURE NATURAL SEA WATER,

and will be found invaluable to residents of the Mofussil.

	Cash.	Credit.
Per 7 lb. box	Re. 1-4	Re. 1-8

TREACHER & CO.'S CONCENTRATED COMPOUND FLUID EXTRACT OF SARSAPARILLA.

PREPARED with the very best materials and with the greatest care so as to obtain the full medicinal properties of each of the articles of which it is composed.

This preparation of the finest Jamaica root is decidedly preferable to any other form in which Sarsaparilla can be administered, on account of its portability and superior efficacy.

It contains the whole active and medicinal properties of the root in the highest state of concentration, combined with the ingredients of the compound decoction ordered in the British Pharmacopœia, the beneficial effects of which, as an alterative and restorative, have been universally admitted and established by the sanction and recommendation of the most eminent practitioners of the present day.

	Cash.	Credit.
Per bottle	Rs. 2-0	2-4
„ double size	„ 3-8	4-0

SOLE MANUFACTURERS,
TREACHER and COMPANY, Ld.,
BOMBAY, BYCULLA, & POONA.

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THE COMPANY'S WHOLESALE QUARTERLY PRICE CURRENT OF DRUGS, CHEMICALS, PHARMACEUTICAL PREPARATIONS, SURGICAL INSTRUMENTS & APPLIANCES, AND DRUGGISTS' SUNDRIES OF ALL KINDS, FOR AUGUST, 1880,

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Through our London Agency we are in a position to avail ourselves of all favourable fluctuations in rates, and of personal selection in the best markets.

Many Chemicals and Pharmaceutical Preparations heretofore imported are now prepared in our own Laboratory, ensuring purity, freshness, and reduction of rates.

The rates will be found very moderate, and indents for large quantities will meet with liberal reductions.

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The scale for these

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE

THURSDAY EVENING, OCT. 21, 1880.

THE London Stock market remains unchanged. Consols yesterday being still quoted at 98⅛, French Rentes at 120½, and Enfaced Rupee Paper at 80⅜ for Fours and 87⅜ for Fours-and-a-half.

In the Mincing Lane markets Coffee and Cocoanut Oil are as previously quoted. Linseed is quiet and 3d. per quarter lower for Calcutta to arrive *viâ* Cape. Wheat is also quiet and 3d. to 6d. per quarter lower.

Reuter's quotations for Metals show no change, and the Manchester Piece Goods market remains firm.

COTTON in Liverpool yesterday showed an amount of activity to which the market has long been a stranger, the day's sales being estimated at 15,000 bales, of which 1,500 were Surats, figures which have not been reached since the middle of May. Spot prices show an advance of 1-16d. in Mid. Orleans, Good Dhollera, and Good Omra, and futures are also higher, this month's delivery being quoted at 6 11-16d. and February-March at 6¾d. per lb. In New York ready Mid. Uplands remain unchanged at 11 3-16 and January shipment at 11 7-16 cents per lb., showing that the upward impetus does not come from America. In all probability such strength as there is comes more from Manchester, and is scarcely likely to last long in the face of the existing scale of receipts at the American ports. The comparisons to date are as follow :—

	1880.	1879.	1878.
Wednesdays' Receipts	35,000	25,000	23,000
Five days' do.	156,000	130,000	103,000
Total since 1st Sept.	1,053,000	898,000	782,000

At the weekly biddings for Council drafts on India in London yesterday, of the thirty lakhs offered, Rs. 28,90,000 were allotted to Calcutta and Rs. 1,10,000 to Bombay at an average of 1s. 8d., tenders at that rate receiving 5½ per cent. This is about the level anticipated here yesterday, and Bar Silver remains unaltered at 52 3-16d. per oz., although our own correspondent describes it as weak at that.

The shipments of Silver by yesterday's P. and O. steamer from Southampton are given at £40,000 and of Gold at £10,000, both for Bombay.

EXCHANGE.—The fact of Council drafts having gone at 1s. 8d. induced a slightly steadier feeling at the opening, and to begin with, one bank named 1s. 8d. for demand ; but with more buyers than sellers this rate gave place to 1s. 7 31-32d., and during the day yesterday's quotations have ruled up to the close. From Calcutta telegrams advise no change from yesterday, bank telegraphic being quoted there at 1s. 8d. On the whole, the position looks weak, and probabilities seem to favour a further decline. We quote for ready bills :—

Bank Bills, on demand	1s. 7 31-32d. per Rupee.			
Do. telegraphic	1s. 7 15-16d.			
Do. 3 months' sight	1s. 8 1-16 to 3-32d.			
Credits, 3	"	"	.....	1s. 8 7-32d.
Documents 3	"	"	.....	1s. 8¼d.
Francs 3	"	2 11	.....	"

On Calcutta we still quote demand at 3-32 per cent. premium, 60 days' sight at ⅜ per cent. discount.

GOVERNMENT PAPER has been, if anything, a shade quieter, the lower rates current in Calcutta rendering sellers more willing to do business. For ready we quote :—Fours, Rs. 96-9-16 ; Fours-and-a half, Rs. 104¾. For delivery in a month the best quotation obtainable for Fours-and-a-half is Rs. 104 7-16.

SHARES.—There has been no alteration of any kind in the market, except for Spinning and Weaving Companies' shares, for which the enquiry has again been more active, and a very general advance of Rs. 10 to Rs. 15 per share has been established. The improvement in Cotton is slightly against the mills, but they have still plenty of margin for profitable working.

COTTON has been rendered considerably stronger to-day by the tenour of the Liverpool advices, and for New Crop sellers are asking an advance of Rs. 2 per candy on yesterday's rates, say, Rs. 232 for Broach and Rs. 218 for Akote. We have not, however, heard of any business. In Old Cotton the only transaction reported is 100 bales Digrus about F. G. F. at Rs. 203 per candy.

LINSEED continues very firm for ready at Rs. 7 per cwt. and a purchase of New Crop is reported for April delivery at Rs. 6-10.

WHEAT is still in active request at Rs. 32 to Rs. 32½ for Soft White, but supplies are still small, and will probably be so until after the Dewali.

FREIGHTS are steady. For Liverpool there is no change in rates, but an active demand still prevails for the Mediterranean ports, and another steamer is reported to have been fixed for London, November loading, at 37s. 6d. with concessions.

PIECE-GOODS are quieting down in anticipation of the approach of the Dewali, and the clearances are now estimated at only about 300 packages a day. Sellers are still very firm in their prices, as they are unable to replace in Manchester at today's level.

COALS are quiet, but not practically altered in value.

BOMBAY BILL AND STOCK LIST.

BANKS.

	Shares.	Am't.	Paid up.	Last Dividend	Cash Rates.
		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.
INDIAN BANKS.					
Bank of Bombay	20,000	500	500	5p.ct.	7074
Bank of Bengal	12,000	500	all	8 do.	745
Bank of Madras	10,000	500	all	8 do.	640
EXCHANGE BANKS.	&				
Agra Bank	100,000	10	all	3 do.	132
Chartd Bank I. & C...	40,000	20	all	6 do.	27⅝
Chartd Mercantile ...	30,000	25	all	16 do.	280
Hongkong & Shanghai Bank	40,000	281	all	8 do.	109
National Bank of India	37,320	25	12½	5 do.	106
Oriental Bank	60,000	25	all	5 do.	275

PRESS COMPANIES.

Akbar Cotton	150	5,000	2,850	50	1000
Albert Ginning Co	100	500	all	18p.ct.	425
Albert Press Co., Kurrachee	200	2,000	1,100	125	1,220
Apollo Press Co. (small shares)	750	2,400	2,200	32	2,150
Bellary	625	1,000	1,000	20 p.s.	500
Berar Cotton Ginning and Press Co.....	600	500	all	40	410
Bholeshwar Cotton Ginning and Press Co..	1,400	250	all	10	40
Calaba Press Co	500	1,880	1,880	50	735
Dhollera Press and Ginning Co.....	500	300	all	21	300
East India Press Co...	200	1,000	1,000	100	1,030
Fort Press Co	150	8,500	8,500	300 p.s.	2,150
French Press Co	300	500	all	45 p.s.	400
Kaisar Hind Press Co	400	2,000	750	50	475xd
Mofussil Co	3,125	400	400	15 p. s.	270
New Indian Press	1,000	350	350	14	135
Prince of W. Press ..	120	.....	1,500	75	870
Sind & Punjaub Cotton Press Co	100	1,000	750	100	1,200
Sassoon Press Co	200	1,000	500	25	400xd
Volkart's Press Co....	450	1,000	all	50	530

SPINNING AND WEAVING COMPANIES.

Ahmedabad S. & W. Company	600	1,000	1,000	90	990
Albert Mill	400	2,000	1,700	..	525
Anglo-Indian S. & W. Company	30,000	100	100	2½	98
Alfred Manufacturing Company	2,000	500	500	22½ p.s.	550
Alliance Spinning	600	2,500	all	100 p.s.	2,175
Bhownuggur Mills	300	2,000	2,000	100	315
Bombay United	900	1,000	1,000	30	970
Central India S. & W. Company	2,500	500	500	40 p. s.	725
Cooria Mills	800	1,000	1,000	20	780
D. Spinning	3,000	2,000	all	35	170
Empress S. & W. Co..	1,500	500	all	25 p. s.	535
Golam Baba Spinning Company	1,000	500	400	20	540
Hindustan	1,200	1,000	1,000	60 p. s.	1,060
Hydrabad Spinning Company	700	1,000	1,000	..	750
Jaffer Ali Spinning Company	600	500	500	50	675
Jawraz Balloo	1,000	1,000	1,000	45 p. s.	995
Khandeish	750	1,000	1,000	30	980
Khatao Mackunjee	1,000	1,000	1,000	45 p. s.	895
Madras	1,250	1,250	75	5	975
Madras United	330	1,000	1,000	80 p. s.	1,450
Manockjee Petit's	2,500	1,000	all	50	1,280
Mazagon Spinning Co.	2,000	500	500	35	175
Morarjee Goculdas	1,050	1,000	1,000	40	1,215
National Spinning....	500	1,000	1,000	40	1,010
New Great Eastern	1,100	1,000	1,000	40 p. s.	1,105
Oriental	4,000	625	625	25	665
Prince of Wales Spinning Company..	1,500	500	500	..	270
Sassoon S. & W. Co..	1,500	1,000	1,000	40	665
Sholapore Mills	500	1,000	1,000	40	1,025
Sonderdas	750	1,000	1,000	75	950
Victoria Mills	550	1,000	1,000	40	750
Western India S. & M. Company	978	1,000	500	..	1,060

LAND COMPANIES.

Frere Land	7,500	150	150	100	22
Mazagon Land, &c.....	1,750	2,000	2,000	..	350xd
New Colaba Co.	4,000	3,000	2,925	30	685
Port Canning Co.	6,000	1,400	1,400	13	195

RAILWAY COMPANIES.

G. I. P. Railway Consolidated Stock	..	£20	218-3.0	5 p. ct	310
Do. New Extensions.	..	£20	120-14-6	do	26
Ditto	..	£20	65-7-3	do	72
Ditto	..	£20	21-13-1	do	32
B. B. & C. I. Ry. Co.	..	£100	1,000	do	1,000
Do. New £15 Shares.	..	£18	196-5-15	do	265

MISCELLANEOUS.

Bombay Saw Mills ...	600	1,000	1,000	80	750
Bombay Ice Manufacturing Co., Limited.	1,250	100	100	8 p.c	(A141 (B130
Bombay Burmah Trading Corporation.....	1,000	2,500	1,500	225	2,075
Indian Guarantee Suretyship Association	5,000	100	10	15 p.ct.	10
Karachee Landing and Shipping Co.	500	500	300	35	415
Mechanics Building Co.	4,000	50	50	3 p.ct.	20
Oriental Government Security Life Assurance Company ..	5,000	200	50	..	50
Oriental Loan Association	5,000	20	20	10 p.ct.	20
Prince of Wales Fire Insurance	250	1,000	1,000	100 p.s.	810
Treacher & Company.	2,000	500	all	75	700
Thacker & Company.	1,000	100	100	10	140

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS.

GOVERNMENT OBSERVATORY.

BOMBAY, 20th October, 1880.

Means of observations taken at 6 a.m., 10 a.m., 2 p.m., 4 p.m., and 10 p.m.

Barometer corrected 32 deg. Fah.	29·762
Temperature of the Air	82·2
Wet Bulb Thermometer	75·2
Dew Point	70·8
Relative humidity of Air	784
Extent of cloudy sky the whole sky clouded—8)	5·0
Maximum temperature of air (read at 6 p.m.)..	87·3
Minimum do. do. (read at 10 a.m.)	75·9
General Direction of Wind	E.SE, NNE, NE, E, W NW, NW.
Movement of wind in 24 hours"	146
Fall of Rain	0·11
Total fall during month	0·25
" " " year	67·01
Additional fall of rain up to 10 a.m. of 21st Oct.	0·35

"From midnight to midnight.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

THE steamer Diolibah, 1,092 tons, Captain Vollet, will sail to-day for Jeddah, with a general cargo and 623 pilgrims.

THE steamer Huzara, 2,078 tons, Captain J. L. Grainger, arrived in harbour yesterday from Rangoon (8th Oct.), with a general cargo.

THE B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer Punjaub, 685 tons, Captain K. Macaulay, sailed yesterday for Zanzibar, with a general cargo and 40 deck passengers.

THE B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer Abyssinia, 713 tons, Captain J. Smith, arrived in harbour yesterday from the Persian Gulf via Kurrachee, with a general cargo and 30 deck passengers.

THE A. S. N. Co.'s steamer Maharaja, 1,046 tons, Captain. J. Bullock, arrived in harbour yesterday from Calcutta (7th Oct.), with a general cargo and 5 deck passengers.

THE P. and O. Co.'s steamer Peshawar, 2,240 tons, Captain D. Rennoldson, arrived in harbour on the 20th instant, from Calcutta (10th Oct.), via Madras and Galle, with a general cargo.

THE B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer Huzara, 1,578 tons, Captain G. Self, arrived in harbour yesterday from Calcutta (22nd Oct.) with a general cargo, and Mr. Disne and servant as passengers.

THE A. H. Lloyd Co.'s steamer Narenta, 1,126 tons, Captain G. Mettel, sailed yesterday for Trieste via Jeddah, with a general cargo and the following passengers :—For Trieste.—Major W. MacD. Robinson. For Port Said.—Messrs. D. Crissoverghi and Jamdawski. For Suez.—Mr. N. Nikiltopulo. For Jeddah.—66 pilgrims.

THE B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer Madura, 1,266 tons, Captain W. A. Starratt, sailed yesterday for Coast and Calcutta, with a general cargo, and the following passengers :—Mr. E. Palmer, Revd. H. Back, Revd. O. Schatt, Revd. and Mrs. T. H. Walz and infant, Revd. and Mrs. Daimelhuber, Miss M. Klairber, Miss M. Ritter, Mr. Pallesworth, Revd. Dilger, Revd. Bachmann, Captain W. T. Crockett, Mr. Crockett, Mr. John Wilson, Mr. P. M. Downie, Mr. J. A. Baines, Mr. F. Yates, and 19 deck.

THE Anchor Line steamer Ben Alder, 1,330 tons, Captain J. W. Buchanan, arrived in harbour yesterday from Liverpool (24th Sept.), with a general cargo and the following passengers :—Mr. F. G. W. Smith, Mr. A. Lineathorp, Mr. Mebritchi, Mr. and Mrs. Robb and three children, Mr. W. E. Peddie, and Mr. A. C. H. Johns, Mr. F. M. Scott, Mr. W. H. McConnell, Mr. A. N. Fagan, Mr. F. B. Claudt, Mr. W. S. Strange, Mr. W. D. Herbert, Mr. P. J. Fitz Gibbens, Mr. H. J. Bowden, Mr. F. G. Heaven, Mr. S. H. Blacker, Captain Warden, and Captain Egerton.

ARRIVALS.

Oct.	Vessels.	Commander.	From.
20	Peshawar (s).....	Rennoldson .	Calcutta, Oct. 10.
21	Ben Alder (s).....	Buchnan	Liverpool, Sept. 21.
	Huzara (s)	Self	Calcutta, Oct. 2.
	Abyssinia (s).....	Smith	Bussorah, Oct. 9.
	I. G. Dalhousie (s).	Powell	Kurrachee, Oct. 18.
	Maharaja (s)	Bullock	Calcutta, Oct. 7.
	Henzand (s)	Grainger	Rangoon, Oct. 8.
	Flor de Dun	Nacoda	Mozambique, Sept 9.

DEPARTURES.

Oct.	Vessels.	Commander.	Destinations.
21	Narenta (s).....	Mettel	Trieste.
	Punjaub(s).....	Macaulay	Zanzibar.
	Madura (s).....	Starratt	Coast and Calcutta.

The steamer Diolibah, Vollet, to Jeddah, obtained her port clearance yesterday.

The steamer Peshawar, to Southampton, was entered for loading yesterday.

CALCUTTA.

ARRIVALS.

Oct.			
17	Ethiopia(s).....	Sharp	Bombay, Sept. 23.
	Brittania (s)	Hutchison ..	Liverpool, Sept. 2.
	Neva	Clark	London, June 25.
	Caithoch	Phillips	Liverpool, July 14.
	Caesarea	Barrett	Sourabaya, Sept. 3.
	City of York	Mutthen	Cardiff, July 21.

DEPARTURES.

Oct. 17.—Steamer Meinam. Ships British Sceptre and Broomhall.

MADRAS.

ARRIVALS.

Oct.			
18	Nepaul (s)	.....	London.
	Viceroy (s).....	.....	London.

Sept. DEPARTURE.

19 Nepaul (s) .... Calcutta.

DAILY IMPORTS.—OCTOBER 21.

FROM LIVERPOOL.

Speke Hall s—565 bundles sheet iron, Ramchunder Mahadew and Co ; 30 hogsheads pale ale, Treacher and Co. Britannia (s)—12 casks pickaxes, Mahamedally Habutbhoy.

FROM GLASGOW.

Ben Alder (s)—8 casks paint, Ebrahim A. Currim.

FROM LONDON.

Scindia (s)—30 cases port, Cutler, Palmer and Co.
Rosetta (s)—6 cases glassware, Essoofally Hiptoola.
Venetia (s)—6 cases glassware, Essoofally Hiptoola.

FROM MARSEILLES.

Manilla (s)—50 cases roll sulphur, Sigg Sulzier and Co.

DAILY EXPORTS.—OCTOBER 21.

FOR LIVERPOOL.

Speke Hall (s)—510 cwts bones, F. Masotti and Co ; 4 cases tea, J. Pearse ; 155 bales rags, Dewjee Vissur ; 185 bales cotton waste, Takersey Jewraz ; 31 bales cotton waste, Greaves, Cotton and Co ; 8 bales rags and 98 bales cotton waste, D. Hormusjee ; 100 bales cotton, Ritchie, Steuart and Co ; 30 bales wool, Pelly and Co ; 55 bales wool, Jairam Sewjee ; 44 bales wool, Ootumchund Essurdass ; 60 bales wool, Takersee Jeewraj ; 35 bales wool, Jeewandass Premjee ; 210 bales wool, Hurjiwan Vussonjee ; 1 bale wool, Ralli Brothers ; 48 bales wool, Keeka Khoosal ; 36 bales wool, Dadabhoy Pestonjee ; 63 bales wool, Killick, Nixon and Co ; 83 bales wool, Nurseo Khutiow ; 118 bales wool, Sir C. Forbes and Co ; 32 bales wool, Gangjee Cutchra ; 45 bales wool, Lilladhur Topun ; 30 bales wool, and 61 bales rags, Gordhundass Bhugwandass ; 100 bales cotton waste, Govindmal Dwarkadass ; 115 bales cotton, Dewjee Bhanjee ; 80 bales rags, W. Bell and Co ; 80 bales hemp, Nathoo Soondeerjee.

FOR GENOA.

Manilla (s)—350 bales cotton, Knoop and Co ; 300 bales cotton, Lang, Moir and Co ; 200 bales cotton, E. Spinner and Co.

FOR MARSEILLES.

Manilla (s)—6 bales skins, Sigg Sulzier and Co ; 360 cwts gingelly seed, W. Bell and Co.

FOR LEGHORN.

Peshawar (s)—100 bales nutmegs, 293 casks gutapurcha and 281 bales silk waste, P. and O. S. N. C.

FOR SUEZ.

Narenta (s)—3 cwts cardamoms, 2 cwts jamalgota, and 3½ cwts chemel seed, Woomerbhoy Chandabhoy.

FOR CALCUTTA.

Madura (s)—110 bales cotton, Khetseedass Hurmookroy.

FOR VENICE.

Sumatra (s)—300 bales cotton, Lang, Moir and Co ; 18 cwts blood stone, M. Mahamedally.

FOR TRIESTE.

Sumatra (s)—200 bales cotton, E. Spinner and Co.

FOR YOKOHAMA.

Ancona (s)—42 bales twist, David Sassoon and Co.

FOR HONGKONG.

Geelong (s)—39 bales twist, Goolam Hoosein Jan Mahamed ; 28 bales twist, Jairazbhoy Peerbhoy.
Ancona (s)—15 faggots steel, Khimjee Jeewa ; 250 cwts onions, Abdool Buseer ; 6½ cwts horns, Currimbhoy Ebram ; 1¼ cwts E. teeth, Jairazbhoy Peerbhoy ; 49 pieces E. teeth, Currimbhoy Ebram ; 4 cases fishmaws, Goolam Hoosein Jan Mahamed ; 21 cases fishmaws and sharkfins, Saiumbhoy Duttoo ; 7¼ cwts cambay stone, Virchund Custorchund ; 19 bales cotton, P. and O. S. N. Co ; 9 bales twist, Currimbhoy Ebram ; 37 chests opium, Ebram Noordin and Co ; 10 chests opium, Tata and Co ; 25 chests opium, David Sassoon and Co ; 94 bales cotton, Framjee Hormusjee ; 138 chests opium, E. D. Sassoon and Co ; 22 chests opium, Currimbhoy Ebram.

FOR SHANGHAI.

Ancona (s)—59 chests opium, Tata and Co ; 66 chests opium, M. S. Gubbay and Co ; 192 chests opium, David Sassoon and Co ; 13 chests opium, Jairazbhoy Peerbhoy ; 13 chests opium, Jaisraz Chetaram ; 17 chests opium, S. E. Sassoon.

MILITARY INTELLIGENCE.

ARRIVALS.—OCTOBER 20.

McQuaid, Surg., on duty, from Allahabad.
Palin, Col., Staff Corps.
Potter, Captain, 67th Regt., on leave, from Rawal Pindee.
Chambers, Lieut.-Col., Staff Corps, on retirement, from Madras.
Snodgrass, Captain, R. A., on duty, from Poona.

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Egerton, Captain, A. D. C., from England.
Warden, Lieut., Staff Corps, from leave, from England.
Ozzard, Lieut., 14th Sikhs, on furlough, from Umballa.
Croly, Surg., on leave, from Matheran.

DEPARTURES.—OCTOBER 21.

Robinson, Major, 27th Regt., on sick leave, to England.
Morris, Captain, 7th Bombay N. I., to rejoin, to Bhooj.
Egerton, Captain, A. D. C., to rejoin, to Lahore.

BOMBAY GOVERNMENT ORDERS.

(Bombay Government Gazette, October 21.)

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

H. E. the Govr. in Council is pleased to direct that the designation of "Inspr. and Adjt." in the Railway Volunteer Rifle Corps in this Presidency be altered to "Bgde.-Major and Instructor."

The undermentioned Warrant Officer is allowed forlough to Europe for two years on medical certificate, with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

Asst. Comsy. and Hony. Lieut. E. McKenzie, Ordnce. Dept.

When horses of Siledar Cavalry are supplied with mixed forage in substitution of the ordinary ration as laid down in G. G. O. No. 876 of 1879, the following should be the proportions :—

15 lbs. hay and 10 lbs. green grass.
10 lbs. kirby and 20 lbs. green grass.
15 lbs. hay and 5 lbs. kirby.
1 lb. of dry grass to be equal to 2 lbs. of green unwashed grass.

2. Kirby and hay are to be considered equivalent lb. for lb. and 2 lbs. of green unwashed grass as equal to 1 lb. of hay or kirby.

3. The ordinary ration of forage for horses of the Siledar Cavalry is grass, and more expensive kinds of forage should not be substituted except in very special cases after reference to Army Head Quarters when possible.

Major W. MacD. Robinson, 27th Regt Mad. N. I., is allowed to proceed to Europe on medical certificate, in anticipation of the furlough which will be granted to him by the Govt. of his own Presidency.

Lieut. C. C. St. E. Lucas, B. S. C., is allowed to proceed to Europe on medical certificate, in anticipation of the furlough which will be granted to him by the Govt. of his own Presidency.

Lieut-Col. J. J. Boswell, B. S. C., Comdt., 2nd Sikh Infy., is allowed to proceed to Europe on medical certificate, in anticipation of the furlough which will be granted to him by the Govt. of his own Presidency.

Captain J. T. Cummins, Mad. S. C., is allowed to proceed to Europe on medical certificate, in anticipation of the furlough which will be granted to him by the Govt. of his own Presidency.

The undermentioned officer is allowed furlough to Europe for twelve months on medical certificate, with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

Capt. F. T. Ebden, S. C., Wing Comdr., 23rd Regt. N. L. I.

Consequent on the return from furlough of Capt. A. H. Stopford, R. A., Depy. Assist. Qr.-Mr. Genl., the following arrangements are ordered.

Major F. Karslake, 83rd Foot, Offg. Asst. Qr.-Mr. Genl., to officiate as Depy. Asst. Qr.-Mr. Genl., vice Capt. Duke, who reverts to regimental duty.

Capt. A. B. Stopford, R. A., Depy. Asst. Qr.-Mr. Genl., to officiate as Asst. Qr.-Mr. until further orders.

The undermentioned Commissioned and Warrant officers have been permitted by the Secy. of State for India to return to duty :—

Captain G. B. Radcliffe, S. C. ; Lieut. C. J. Dickson, S. C. ; C. H. Seddon, S. C. ; Major G. B. Simpson, S. C. ; Major J. Ketchen, Infy. ; Lieut.-Col. J. S. D. Bolton, S.C. ; Col. H. F. Hancock, R. E. ; Col. T. Waddington, S. C. ; Bgdr.-Genl. F. A. E. Loch, C. B., S. C. ; Capt. Stanley Carter, S. C. ; Maj. R. I. Crawford, S. C. ; Capt. F. B. Peile, S. C. ; Condr. W. Mace, Ordnce. Dept.

Capt. R. H. Tyacke, 98th Regt., assumed charge of the Comst. Dept. at Hyderabad, Sind, from Capt. G. J. Coulson on the 11th Oct.

ECCLESIASTICAL DEPARTMENT.

The Rev. G. H. Lewis, Chaplain of Neemuch, is granted privilege leave for three months.

CIVIL APPOINTMENTS &c.

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

M. E. V. Mackay is appointed substantive pro tem. Asst. Pol. Agent, Mahi Kantha.

JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT.

H E the Govr. in Council is pleased to make the following appointments :—

Major G. B. Simpson to act as Dist. Supt. of Police in the Kurrachee Dist. during the absence of Mr. G. T. Giertzen on leave, or until further orders.

Mr. H. J. H. Henderson to be Dist. Supt. of Police in the Sholapur Dist., to continue to act as Dist. Supt. of Police in the Nasik Dist. until further orders.

Mr. C. McIver to be Dist. Supdt. of Police in the Shikarpur Dist., continuing to act as Dist. Supdt. of Police in the Hyderabad Dist. until further orders.

Mr. C. E. Coles to act as Dist. Supdt. of Police in the Shikarpur Dist. until further orders.

Mr. H. Prescott is appointed to act as Dist. Supdt. of Police in the Nasik Dist. from the date of Major W. H. Wilson's departure on leave until Mr. H. J. H. Henderson takes charge of that office.

H. E. the Govr. in Council is pleased to appoint the Mamlatdar of Bhusaval to be ex-officio Supdt. of the Subordinate Jail at that Station.

A'zam Kashinath Vinayak Bhide, Actg. Head Karkun of Taluka Nagar in the Dist. of Ahmednagar, is appointed to be a Magte. of the Third Class in the Dist. of Ahmednagar.

Azam Nagesh Khanderao, Head Karkun of Peta Edlabad, Taluka Bhusaval, in the Dist. of Khandesh, is appointed to be a Magte. of the Third Class in the Khandesh Dist.

Azam Hari Yeshwant Desai, Mahalkari of Guhagar, in the Dist. of Ratnagiri, is appointed to be a Magte. of the Third Class in the Ratnagiri Dist.

Rao Saheb Bhalchandra Trimbak Bapat, Mamlatdar of Rahuri, in the Dist. of Ahmednagar, is appointed to be a Magte. of the Second Class in the Dist. of Ahmednagar.

Azam Mansukram Walavdas, Acting Head Karkun of Taluka Anand in the Dist. of Kaira, is appointed to be a Magte. of the Third Class in the Dist. of Kaira.

Azam Narayen Venktesh, Head Karkun of Taluka Suba in the Dist. of Kanara, is appointed to be a Magte. of the Third Class in the Dist. of Kanara.

The Rt. Hon. the Govr. in Council is pleased to confirm the following persons in the appointments of Clerks of the Courts in the Ahmedabad Dist. mentioned against their names :—

Mr. Kakubhai Jesing, Second Class Subordinate Judge's Court at Kaira.
Mr. Ranchordas Hathi Raiji, Second Class Subordinate Judge's Court, Dhandhuka and Gogha.

Mr. G. Druitt, Asst. Judge and Sessions Judge of Ratnagiri, has been permitted by H. M.'s Secy. of State for India to return to duty within the period of his leave.

EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT.

Rao Bahadur Dadoba Pandurang is appointed to be Marathi Translator in the Educational Dept.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

H. E. the Govr. in Council is pleased to appoint Mr. C. G. W. Macpherson, C.I.E., to be Second Asst. Collr., and Mr. C. P. B. Wiltshire to be substantive *pro tem.* Second Asst. Collr. from the date of Mr. E. C. K. Ollivant's appointment to be Asst. Comsr. in Sind.

Mr. G. Berrie, Asst. Settlement Officer, Sind, is allowed eighteen months' furlough.

Mr. W. A. Robertson, Asst. Settlement Officer, Sind, has been appointed to act as First Class Asst. Settlement Officer in that Survey.

Rango Shivram, who has been dismissed from the office of Kulkarni of the village of Akola in the Karmala Taluka of the Sholapur Dist. in consequence of his having been convicted of the offence of criminal breach of trust as a public servant, and Rajaram Vithal, late Gumasta Kulkarni of the villages of Shirai and Gjani in the same taluka, who has been convicted of the same offence, are declared incapable of again serving Govt. in any capacity.

Mr. G. A. Hight, Asst. Consvr. of Forests, Ahmednagar, is allowed furlough for one year from 10th Dec. next or such subsequent date as he may avail himself of it.

Mr. C. E. Frost, C. S., has been permitted by H. M.'s Secy. of State for India to return to duty within the period of his leave.

H. E. the Govr. in Council is pleased to make the following appointments :—

Mr. J. B. Richey, C.S.I., to act as Collr. and Magte. of the Dist. of Ahmedabad and Dist. Registr., Ahmedabad, till further orders.

Mr. John McLeod Campbell to act as Collr. and Magte. of the Dist. of Poona and Dist. Registr., Poona, till relieved by Mr. J. G. Moore.

Messrs. H. F. Selcock and J. A. Crawford, of the Civil Service, passed an examination in Marathi and Gujarathi respectively according to the Lower Standard on the 11th inst., and Mr. W. A. Talbot, Asst. Consvr. of Forests, Kanara, passed in Kanarese according to the same standard on the 13th idem.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

H. E. the Govr. in Council is pleased to reappoint Mr. J. H. Grant, C. S., to be Municipal Comsr. for the City of Bombay from the date of expiry of his present term of office till further orders.

Surgn. H. W. B. Boyd is appointed Civil Surgn. at Dhulia, with effect from the date of his assuming charge of the appointment.

Surgn. W. A. Barren is appointed to act as Civil Surgn. at Ahmedabad till relieved by Surgn.-Major S. O'B. Banks.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

The Rt. Hon. the Govr. in Council is pleased to make the following permanent promotions in the room of Capt. G. M. Cruickshank, R. E., deceased, with effect from the 17th Aug. 1880 :—

Mr. G. N. R. Lambert to be Ex. Engr., second grade ; Mr. J. R. Hatherly to be Ex. Engr., third grade ; Mr. J. G. Single to be Ex. Engr., fourth grade ; and Mr. W. L. S. L. Cameron to be Asst. Engr., first grade.

Consequent on Major G. L. C. Merewether, R. E., having been appointed Chairman of the Bombay Port Trust, the following arrangements are ordered as a temporary measure :—

Lieut. W. J. Lister, R. E., to act as Ex. Engr., Lower and Central Sind.

Mr. Pritomdass Pursumul Chadanani, L.C.E., to act as Ex. Engr., Jacobabad.

Mr. Ganesh Krishna Apte, B.A., L.C.E., having passed the prescribed Departmental Examination, is promoted to the rank of Second Grade Asst. Engr., with effect from the 10th Sept. 1880.

Mr. Arthur Hill, from the Royal Indian Engineering College, having reported his arrival in Bombay on the 18th Oct., is appointed an Asst. Engr., Second Grade, with effect from the 23rd Sept.

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STATE OF THE TIDE AT BOMBAY.

HIGH WATER. Time.	HIGH WATER. Height.	OCTOBER.	LOW WATER. Time.	LOW WATER. Height.
H. M.	FT. IN.		H. M.	FT. IN.
1 42 m	13 11	Friday 22	7 33 m	5 3
1 23 a	11 3		7 17 a	2 6
2 17 m	13 2	Saturday 23	8 6 m	5 11
1 51 a	10 5		7 43 a	3 4
2 53 m	12 4	Sunday 24	8 45 m	6 7
30 a	9 8		8 12 a	4 3
3 38 m	11 7	Monday 25	9 42 m	7 1
3 12 a	9 0		8 50 a	5 1
4 28 m	11 1

EGRAMS.

FROM KANDAHAR.

(SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.)

KANDAHAR, Oct. 19.

Infantry have been ordered to ...ey arrive to-morrow, relieving ...ich moves to the line of communica... 19th proceed to Sibi, where they will be ...by the Viceroy. They remain in Beluchistan ...e winter. Other movements are in con..., but have not yet been definitely decided ... health of the troops is improving: dysentery ...paring, but fever is still prevalent; no ... of small-pox.

14-9 R. A. arrived yesterday. C-2 and 3rd Sind Horse have marched for India. The following troops are ordered to assemble at Jacobabad to receive the Viceroy, who is expected on the 18th November:—E.-B. R. H. A., 66th Foot 1st Grenadiers, 2nd Beloochies, Jacob's Rifles, and 3rd Sind Horse. The following corps are ordered to be at Sibi on the 20th November:—A-4 R. A., squadron of Bengal Cavalry, five troops 1st Madras Cavalry, and 19th Native Infantry.

The political position is unchanged, except that I hear to-day from an authentic source that Sirdar Aboobekar has got three regiments together in Zemindawar.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]

(By Red Sea Cable.)

THE ELECTION COMMISSIONS.

LONDON, Oct. 21.

The evidence taken at the several Election Commissions now sitting disclose the prevalence of gross bribery.

OBITUARY.

Right Hon'ble Lord Justice A. H. Thesiger.

SEVERE SNOWSTORM.

A severe snowstorm has thus early in the season been experienced throughout England.

RELIEF OF MAFETENG.

CAPE TOWN, Oct, 20.

After severe fighting, Colonel Clarke has relieved Mafeteng.

SURRENDER OF DULCIGNO.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct, 20.

The Porte has proposed that the Turkish troops shall evacuate Dulcigno three hours before the Montenegrin troops occupy it. The demand for the *statu quo* as regards territory east of lake Scutari is withdrawn.

OPENING OF THE GREEK PARLIAMENT.

ATHENS, Oct. 21.

The Greek Parliament has been opened by the King, who in his speech said that the execution of the decision of the Great Powers on the subject of extending the ...ece of Greece had imposed upon that country the necessity of considerable action. It had ...s arrangements and raised ...ans to secure the ... and the Greek Army will not be disbanded ... it is attained.

RECOVERY OF THE CZAR.

PETERSBURG, Oct. 21.

The Emperor of ... has recovered from his illness.

STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

LIVERPOOL, Oct. 20.

The B. I. S. N. Company's steamer Hispania left here for Bombay on the afternoon of the 19th.

SUEZ, Oct. 20.

The B. I. S. N. Company's steamer Arcot, outward bound for the Persian Gulf and Kurrachee, left here this afternoon.

SUEZ, Oct. 20.

The B. I. S. N. Company's steamer Merkara, outward bound for Calcutta, Madras, and Colombo, left here this evening.

LONDON, Oct. 20.

The Liverpool Cotton market closed firm. Surats firm.

The London Cotton market has been firm.

The Manchester market has been firm.

Fair Dhollera		4 13-16d.
4 per cent. Rupee Paper		89¾
4½ do.		87¾
3 do.	Consols for account	98⅛
5 do.	French Rente, 1872	120
Bar Silver		52 3-16

Arrival—Banian.

It is said that Mr. Birdwood has gone to Chota-Oodeypore to take the evidence of some of the Ranis. This information is not, however, authenticated.

For the last three evenings heavy rain, accompanied by lightning and thunder, has fallen in Bombay. Last evening the rain was heavy and the lightning very vivid. The clouds came up from the east and south. This atmospheric disturbance is supposed to be the result of the great storm which prevailed five or six days ago along the east coast of the Bay of Bengal.

The place of the 61st Regiment at Colaba will be taken by the Head-Quarters and five companies of the 4th (King's Own) Regiment from Poona. Two other companies of the 4th go to Baroda, and one to Ahmedabad.

The 8-11 R. A., now at Colaba, will be despatched to Deolalee *en route* to Calcutta on the 25th instant from the Boree Bunder station. The strength of the battery is 2 officers and 60 men.

Colonel Barton, Political Agent, Kathiawar, has kindly forwarded to the Bombay Military Relief Fund the handsome subscriptions of Rs. 7,147-6-9, on behalf of H. H. the Jam Saheb of Nowanagar and State, the Morvi State, the Rajkot State, and the Virpurkharedy Taluka.

The latest season reports issued from the Revenue Department of the Bombay Government, which are brought down to the 19th instant, show that rain is still wanted in the Ahmednagar district. Generally the district reports are favourable. The harvesting of the early crops and the sowing of rabi continue in satisfactory progress.

There have been thunder-storms, accompanied by rain, at Bhusawal as well as in Bombay during the last few days. No harm has been done to the crops, the harvest prospects being excellent, while the rain is favourable to the rabi sowings, which are now almost completed.

Owing to the harvest prospect in the Berars not being favourable this year, the exhibition that was to be held in December next has been postponed *sine die*, as the Commissioner and the Committee consider that the undertaking would not be successful.

Colonel A. C. Lilly, late Commandant, 1st Infantry H. C., has been promoted to Major-General on retirement.

In addition to the tests the Assistant and Extra Assistant Commissioners of the H. A. D. have to undergo at the annual examination on the 25th instant, at Akola, the examinees' temper, zeal, activity, regularity, and industry have to be reported on.

The working of the trains on the Dhond and Manmad State Railway will be taken over by the G. I. P. Railway Company on the 1st January next. Mr. A. Izatt, the Engineer-in-Chief, has made over the line to Mr. Hallum, and is now only in charge of the Kathiawar State Railway. For the present only two station buildings are to be constructed, one at Ahmednagar and the other at Yeola.

His Excellency the Viceroy has contributed Rs. 1,000 to the Naini Tal Relief Fund through Sir George Couper. His Highness the Maharajah of Darbhanga has contributed Rs. 2,000 to the same fund through Sir Henry Ramsay.

A new class of cultivators is attracting attention in Bengal. They are known locally as *Belati Grehusts*, and are Englishmen who have taken small grants from the zemindars of holdings in the Scopole jungles. They clear the forest and grow crops like native cultivators; each holding being about 200 bighas. The Lieutenant-Governor has asked for further information regarding them.

The B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer Booldana, from London to Colombo, Madras, and Calcutta, when about 350 miles from Port Said, broke her shaft. She was picked up and taken in tow by the s. s. City of Canterbury, which took her back to Malta. On the way another British India steamer, the Manora, outward bound from London, hove in sight, and took off her passengers and light baggage. The Manora arrived at Colombo on the 3rd instant.

On the 13th instant the telegraph line was cut between Thall and Hangu, and upwards of five hundred yards of wire carried off. On the previous day a band of Waziri robbers attacked a party of men grazing cattle near Thall. They succeeded in driving off the cattle, and killed and wounded two or three of the men in charge of them. The Border Police and a few cavalry started in pursuit, and captured five or six hundred head of cattle by way of retaliation, besides taking some prisoners, who are supposed to have been implicated in the robbery. The stolen cattle were also recovered.

The following is the paragraph about the objection to the race horse Exchange as it should have appeared but for the carelessness of a printer, which converted it into a most inextricable puzzle, in our issue of yesterday:—

Exchange, the horse that won the Criterion on the second day and a handicap on the fourth day of the recent Poona races, has been objected to by the owner of the horse running second in the first-named race, and who also owned a horse that ran in the handicap; and the objection is being inquired into by the stewards at Poona. A good deal of interest is taken in the matter by racing men, and especially, of course, by all who had transactions on the races in question. The ground of the objection may be shortly stated as follows:—The conditions for the Criterion provided that "this race is open only to officers of H. M.'s services, Civil, Covenanted, Military, and Naval, and members of the following clubs, viz:—any recognised club in England; the Bengal Club, Calcutta; Byculla and Bombay Clubs, Bombay; Madras Club, Madras; and Western India Club, Poona." The objection is that Exchange does not belong to the gentleman who adopts the *nom de guerre* of "Mr. Herbert," but is really the property of Mr. Bowen, the trainer and jockey, and has been merely lent to Mr. Herbert "on racing terms." The "Handicap for all horses that have been entered in the Service Stakes or Criterion in this or previous year" is governed by the same conditions as the Criterion; and if the horse is disqualified for the first race, the disqualification will appyly to the other also.

The Agent of the Madras Railway Company, it is stated, has pressed upon his directors in England the necessity for charging enhanced fares when the accelerated service comes into operation on this company's system, as otherwise these fast trains will not be remunerative, but a drain upon the purse of the company; increased speed resulting in increased wear and tear of machinery, rails, &c., as also increased cost in maintenance and fuel.

The recommendations of the committee of experts, who have reported on the state of the Sherka-Danda Hill at Naini Tal, the *Pioneer* says, have been accepted by the local Government. A skilled engineer and two subordinates have been told off to carry out the works, remedial and preventive, under the supervision of the Commissioner of Kumaon; and already some twenty-five limekilns are at work to prepare the lime. Labour for the next few weeks will be scarce, as the men are all engaged in gathering in the plentiful harvest that blessed has Kumaon this year; but by the end of November the entire operations will have been commenced. The report of the committee will be given to the public in a few days. A more careful examination of the affected part confirms the conclusion arrived at by the committee, that no general subsidence of the hill-side has taken place, and that the cracks and slips are traceable to local causes.

When the 1st Regiment Madras Native Infantry was stationed at Jellalabad, a short while ago, it was reported that some of the Ghazees in the neighbourhood made a raid upon the bazaars of the place, and that a non-commissioned officer of the regiment, Jemadar Ramasawmy, had failed to render any assistance in quelling the disturbance. The Jemadar in question was tried by court-martial, and sentenced to the loss of a few steps of promotion for the alleged failure of duty; but a re-consideration of the case by the Commander-in-Chief has resulted in a reversal of the judgment, His Excellency being of opinion that Jemadar Ramasawmy cannot be held chargeable with neglect of duty, on the ground that the officer was at the time under the orders of the Political Department, without whose instructions he could not act on the occasion. The accused has therefore been acquitted of all blame.

The *Madras Mail* is loud in its praises of General Roberts, not only as a brilliant military commander, but as a writer of despatches. Our contemporary appears almost to regard it as a pity that his hero, instead of following a military career, should not have become a special correspondent. He says:—"Sir Frederick possesses among his other accomplishments the gift of descriptive writing. A despatch covering the events of a month, including the account of a battle, could scarcely be a short one, yet so crisp, short, and clear are the General's paragraphs, that the story carries itself along without a hitch, and we reach its last sentence without the slightest sensation of weariness. The essence of a military despatch lies in its brevity, terseness, and perspicuity, towards which Sir Frederick's little paragraphs are eminently conducive. He wastes no paper in submitting a florid account of the march,—'the report touches lightly on this superb march from Kabul to Kandahar,' writes Sir Frederick Haines,—yet, if closely read, nothing really worth recording will be found wanting. Of General Roberts's skill in describing a battle, we had admirable proof after the action of Peiwar Kotal, a despatch which at the time was pronounced to be a *chef d'œuvre* of military writing. His subsequent despatches from Kabul were composed with similar excellence, although open at times to the charge of overpraising the troops, and recommending everybody for special distinction. His last essay strikes us as certainly the most modest he has ever penned, while it certainly chronicles by far the most brilliant exploit that its writer has ever achieved."

We should like to be favoured with the grounds for the *Pioneer's* confidence in the "broad facts" contained in the following paragraph regarding the Commissariat Department of the Bombay Army in Afghanistan. We should like to know, also, to what the *Pioneer* attributes the sudden and marked improvement he speaks of. Was it fear of Sir Frederick Roberts' eagle-eye spying out shortcomings overlooked by the Bombay generals, out of which, of course, the *Pioneer* will never admit that any good could come? Or has the whole thing no foundation at all, except in the brilliant imagination of the writer who describes with such graphic force how "the fire began to burn, the stick began to beat the dog, and so on?" What the *Pioneer* says is:—

Whatever conclusions may ultimately be reached in reference to the fighting efficiency of the Bombay Army, there seems little doubt that a complete review of its achievements, as temporarily in charge of the occupation of Southern Afghanistan, will put the gravest doubt upon the military capacity of its organizing departments. We believe that up to the time of the incidents which led to the despatch of Sir Frederick Roberts to Kandahar, the difficulties of the Bombay supply departments were represented to the Government of India as almost overwhelming. To feel the large body of troops beyond the frontier was found by the Bombay authorities to be a task which almost broke their hearts. But soon after General Roberts took the command, all difficulties of this kind disappeared. The fire began to burn, the stick began to beat the dog, and so on. The whole chain of machinery, which creaked and groaned, and threatened every moment to break down before, was made to work smoothly and effectively. To explain the details of such a change would exact a long official report, but of the broad facts as described, we are in a position to speak with confidence.

A scandalous waste of the funds of the Calcutta University, says the *Englishman*, was brought to notice by one of the speakers at a recent meeting of the educated natives at Lahore. It appears that the Premchund Roychund Studentship, tenable for five years, and the *full* value of which is Rs. 10,000, confers no obligation on its holder to engage in any literary or educational task in the service of the University, from which he derives so handsome an income. Its founder wished it to go "to some one large object, or to a portion of a large object," but it cannot be seriously contended that the mere fact of passing by a certain standard, which is to test the qualifications of a candidate for it, is, in itself, "a large object." It may be said that the Premchund Studentship induces M. A.s to continue their studies beyond that standard, but this would be far more completely answered by holding an examination for the degrees of Doctor of Science or Literature as at the London University.

The two Chief Engineers who rule over the Public Works and the Irrigation Departments, respectively, of the Madras Presidency, it seems, do not pull well together. The local *Times* writes:—There would appear to be something of an unpleasant nature in the official relations now existing between Colonel Sankey, the Chief Engineer, P. W. D., and Colonel Mullins, the Chief Engineer of the Irrigation Department, the latter officer being, as things now stand, subject to the orders of the former. Colonel Mullins, we understand, objects to Colonel Sankey being allowed to dictate orders on purely irrigation subjects to one who has been head of that department for eleven years, while Colonel Sankey, on the other hand, has had an experience of only a few months in connection with petty irrigation projects. These are unanswerable arguments, no doubt, and it is obviously an anomaly that so great an authority on irrigation in this Presidency as Colonel Mullins is well known to be, should be in a position to be dictated to on matters pertaining purely to that branch of the department by an officer who can know next to nothing about the great irrigation problems of the Southern Presidency, which it takes years of patient study and personal toil to master. Colonel Sankey, however, is the greater gun in the department, taken as a whole, and of course bases an argument on that circumstance to justify his claim to dictate in such matters. The paper war to which this friction between these two officers gave rise, would probably have ended seriously, but for the timely interposition of a paternal Government in the *rôle* of blessed peace-makers. The pretty little quarrel having come to the knowledge of that august body, His Grace the Governor in Council, we hear, has expressed regret that any unpleasantness should have occurred between the two officers concerned, and has inculcated on them the useful maxim, that brethren should dwell together in unity. We have not heard that the Governor in Council quotes in his "order thereon certain well-known lines—or Dr. Watts, but he trusts that Colonels Sankey and Mullins will continue together on a more cordial footing. What effect this gentle admonition has had on the belligerent Chief Engineers we have yet to learn.

The Pioneer indulges in some interesting reminiscences *apropos* of the Chota-Oodeypore case and the interference of Government with native potentates:—There are two precedents which the Chota-Oodeypore case will probably bring to the surface—that of the late Maharajah of Ulwar, and that of the late Nawab of Tonk. In the first of these the Maharajah, in a fit of passion, killed a man and threw him over his castle wall. The British Government was much perplexed by the problem it thus had to decide, and in the end contented itself with marking its disapproval of the Maharajah's behaviour by withdrawing the Political Resident at Ulwar. Inasmuch as the dearest wish of the Maharajah's heart had long been to get rid of this officer, the penalty was one to which he, no doubt, easily resigned himself. In the other case, that of the Nawab of Tonk, the princely offender was deposed, and made a State prisoner. The Baroda case was not one which can be brought into comparison with the present transaction, because in that case the late Gaekwar was accused of a crime which was not merely an offence against civilized codes, but in its nature an act of war against the British Government. There could be no question about the course to be taken when once the state of the facts was ascertained. That the trial actually held was not the best device for getting at the truth was generally admitted in the end, but the embarrassment in which the Government was finally landed had nothing to do with any doubt as how a native prince, proved to have attempted the life of his British Resident, ought to be treated. In the present case the embarrassment of Government will only begin at the stage at which it may be determined that the accused prince is guilty.

ADEN.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

ADEN, Oct. 12.

The trooper Himalaya put in here last Thursday, and stayed until Saturday, as her boilers required cleaning, I believe. Most people knew someone or other on board, and so the passengers enjoyed their enforced stay in Aden more than the general run of passengers usually do. And they were lucky in the weather they had; for, after the fearful heat of September, we are now enjoying cool, fresh breeze day and night, and the climate is most enjoyable. In fact, there is little doubt that if Government would move the troops down to Steamer Point (leaving small detachments in the Isthmus and Crater positions), Aden would be as popular a station as it is now the reverse. As things are at present, the residents of Aden are as much separated as the Malabar Hill folk are from those who live at Colaba. It is hardly necessary to say that there is very little news.

Chinese Gordon came and went in his usual quiet fashion. He looked as if travelling agreed with him, and talked of his visit to Pekin and his interviews with the dignitaries there much as ordinary people talk of running up to Mahableshwar and having a chat with the Governor. He said he did not think the Chinese had much improved in fighting qualities—i. e., drill and discipline—since he was connected with their army, and he found the Japanese had grown uncommonly pumptious. In talking to Colonel Gordon, it is not always easy to remember that the quiet-looking man, who talks in such a simple and unaffected way, is the General who formed an army out of undisciplined Chinese, officered, in a great measure, by rowdy Europeans and Americans, and with that army put down the most formidable rebellion China has ever known. Every one knows how he refused all money reward, contenting himself with the decoration of the Yellow Jacket, and the high military title of "Titu." There can be no doubt that whether he goes to Borneo, or some other part of the world that requires settling and arranging, he will succeed in carrying out his views.

Most of the military seem to be going to leave Aden. The 6th Royals go home in the Serapis,—to the great regret of people in Aden,—and all three batteries of artillery are to be changed this cold weather. It is said that in future the native regiment will only be kept one year here, in which case the 14th N. I. will be changed also. General Loch, C. B., returns from England on the 28th instant, when Major Goodfellow goes home on three months' leave. The chaplain, the Rev. Mr. Lochee, is also going home on short leave, and altogether nearly everyone appears on the move somewhere or other; and those who are not going say they don't want to go, and declare that a cold-weather in Aden is better than a cold-weather in England. Well, each man to his taste.

THE RIGHT HON. LORD THESIGER.

The following is taken from *Men of the Time*:—

The Right Hon. Alfred Henry Thesiger, third son of the late Lord Chelmsford, by Anne Maria, youngest daughter of William Tinling, Esq., of Southampton, was born in 1838, and educated at Christ Church, Oxford (B. A., 1860). He was called to the bar at the Inner Temple, in 1862, and was for some time "postman" of the Court of Exchequer. He rapidly gained a large practice and high reputation; was created a Q. C. in 1873; and was Attorney-General to the Prince of Wales. In 1877 he was appointed to succeed Sir Richard Amphlett as one of the Lord Justices of Appeals, and on that occasion was added to the Privy Council. He married in 1863 Henrietta, second daughter of the Hon. George Handcock, a son of the late Lord Castlemaine.

RIDERS AND WRITERS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "BOMBAY GAZETTE."

SIR,—Did you happen to read a letter, published a few days ago in a Bombay paper, signed "Ithuriel?" The letter purports to be a sporting one, but reading it as a mere on-looker, who did not risk one rupee on the late Poona meeting, it seems to me to be a very poor and libellous production. Mr. Ithuriel, whoever that person may be, evidently understands what backing a jockey means. He has apparently taken great pains to write an elaborate defence of Mr. Bowen, but he has only succeeded in stirring up the mud, I think. To myself, as well as to probably most of the other spectators at Poona, it *did* look odd to see, first, Exchange, with Bowen up, beaten by that poor old broken-kneed gelding, Safed Sung, who is utterly out of place on any race-course, and then afterwards to see him galloping away from such first-class horses as Fureed, Sir John, and Mooltan; but all such matters are beyond me. I *cannot* understand them, never could; and far be it from me to volunteer my poor opinion in the bold and obtrusive manner that Mr. Ithuriel has thought fit to do. No! the stewards of the Hydrabad and Bombay meetings will have to form their own opinions on what they saw of Exchange's running at Poona, and I shall look out with some interest for the adjustment of the weights for the first big handicap at Hydrabad. Then, again, Mr. Ithuriel's savage attack on Mr. Kelly Maitland is, I consider, a most unwarrantable libel. I believe Mr. Ithuriel's friend did make some statement about Modesty's running, for which I hear he (the pal) got well walked into by the Poona stewards. I certainly cannot congratulate your contemporary on his sporting correspondent, and would recommend him to give his young man some good advice, telling him to try and report racing correctly, if possible, and not to introduce mischievous personalities into his letters for the future. If you will give this a corner in your valuable organ, dear Mr. Editor, you will oblige your obedient servant.

A LOVER OF FAIR PLAY.

CANCELLING SERVICE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "BOMBAY GAZETTE."

SIR,—What reason can there be for refusing to cancel a part of a man's service? If he joins when he is 25, he has to serve 27 years; but if he is 24, thirty years are required. In other words, one who enjoys himself in England from 24 to 25 is better off than another who is grilling in India for the same period!

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MOVEMENT OF TROOPS

The 61st Regiment will be embarked at Bombay in Her Majesty's Indian troopship Jumna in a few days for conveyance to Kurrachee *en route* to Afghanistan, being relieved at Bombay, Ahmedabad, and Baroda by the 2nd Battalion 4th "King's" from Poona and Kirkee, the latter regiment being distributed as follows:—

At Bombay, head-quarters and 5 companies.
At Ahmedabad, 1 company.
At Baroda, 2 companies.

The Company of the 2nd Battalion 4th "Kings" at Kirkee is to be relieved by a company of the 1st Battalion Rifle Brigade from Poona.

The relief of the detachments of the 61st Regiment at Ahmedabad and Baroda has been ordered to be carried out by rail with the least possible delay.

The depôt of the 61st Regiment is to be established at Poona.

Holloway's Pills.—For the cure of debility, bile, liver and stomach complaints this inappreciable medicine is so well-known in every part of the world, and the cures performed by its use are so wonderful, that it now stands pre-eminent above all other remedies, more particularly for the cure of bilious and liver complaints, disorders of the stomach, dropsy, and debilitated constitution. In these diseases the beneficial effects of the Pills are so permanent that the whole system is renewed, the organs of digestion strengthened, and a free respiration promoted. They expel from the secretive organs and the circulation the morbid matter which produces inflammation, pain, fever, debility, and physical decay—thus annihilating, by their purifying properties, the virulence of the most painful and devastating diseases.

THINGS MEDICAL, JUDICIAL, EDUCATIONAL, AND RELIGIOUS IN GUZERAT.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

AHMEDABAD, Oct. 14.

Being at leisure, I will jot down a few items of news which, perhaps, might interest your readers. For the past week everybody here, high and low, English and native, has been much concerned with the probability there is of our very worthy and popular civil surgeon, Dr. Holmested, leaving us for Hyderabad, Scinde. This transfer was gazetted last week, and has taken everybody here, the doctor included, by surprise, it being entirely unexpected; and how entirely undesired by us, you may imagine when I say that a petition against it has been promptly sent to Government, numerously signed by the Nagar Shet and other gentlemen of this city. Dr. Holmested has been with us two years now, and is so cordially liked by all classes for his medical skill, his ready sympathy and kindness, and his patient, if unobstrusive, industry that the mere thought of parting with him is painful. It is not often that an out-of-the-world-removed place like this is blessed with a doctor on whose skill and kindness one can rely. Dr. Holmested fulfils all the conditions of an excellent physician, and hence our anxiety not to part with him. We all hope that Government will find somebody else to go to Hyderabad, and continue Dr. Holmested in this place.

I informed you some time back of extensive court-fee stamp forgeries at Neriad. The stamp-vendor in the Sub-Judge's Court there was suspected, and after a very laborious and lengthy investigation by the Collector of Kaira, the man has been committed to the Sessions Court here. The case is tried before Mr. Phillpots and the usual force of assessors. The report of Dr. Lyons, chemical analyser, goes conclusively to prove that the forgeries have been executed by means of photography, but so skilfully as to escape detection, unless the scrutiny was most minute and careful. The trial at present stands adjourned for a further report from Dr. Lyons.

Two of the Government schools at Neriad and Kaira had to be closed early last week, as the boys in a body left the school owing to the admission of some Dheds, in pursuance of the now famous Government circular. Mr. Giles, the energetic inspector, went down promptly, but what course he has followed has not yet transpired. It is to be earnestly hoped that in spite of such defection, the Government circular will be strictly enforced. The public schools must be open to all classes, without any distinction of caste or creed, and the educational authorities must show a determined front in a case of this sort to the already too much pampered Dhedmins and those who imitate them. Equality before the law, to extraordinary sanctity, is the boast of the British Crown there should be no class distinctions, and this must be eminently so in our public schools. Much opposition will, of course, be raised, and a great deal of moral clamouring, but if Government is firmly bent on carrying on its benign policy of strict and absolute toleration and equality, the over weening Indian Pharisees, the "twice-born" classes, must soon come back to their proper senses, and must be made to recognise that under British rule the temple of knowledge is open to all. The travelling of Dhedsand other similar classes by railway affords a parallel case. Every thing the Brahmins and Banias could think of was done to induce the railway companies to give way, but the Government firmly stood firm; and behold now see the arrogant Brahmin travel meekly enough in his third class with the much-despised Dhed. When the Brahmin objected to ride with the Dhed in the same caste, the guard's ready reply was "Travel with your caste! Bundle in;" and bundled in he was. This excellent example may fitly be followed in the case of the recalcitrant schoolboys. Religious fairs, for a railway company, are highly remunerative, and the companies very properly encourage them, though the worthy mission folks are vastly scandalized. The B. B. and C. I. Railway Company make a capital thing out of the regular fair, held every full moon at Dakore, when thousands of pilgrims go from all parts of Gujerat to pay their vows to the image of Runchoraljee. In January or February next year a very grand religious ceremony is to be celebrated at Neriad. It is called the *Chuppan-bhog Jathra*, or grand celebration of fifty-six sacrifices or religious festivals all in a lump. This will be a very fine thing for the B. B. and C. I. Railway Company, as thousands upon thousands of pilgrims and devotees are expected to flock to Neriad to witness the *Chuppan-bhog*, from all parts of the country, as this ceremony is performed once in a long period of years, and is looked upon as particularly sacred.

You have had some account of the building of a new church in the camp here, but your informant does not say why a new church is wanted, or who is going to pay for it. The building of a new church in camp is simply a superfluous waste of money. There is already a church in camp, or what has done duty as a church ever since the camp was established; and there is another church in the city. What they want a church for seems a puzzle; and in these hard times it seems that the public money to be spent, or rather thrown away on this new church, which is not wanted, could far better be spent on some unproductive work. If the few who do go to the present camp church to say their prayers must needs have a new and more shapely building, let them subscribe and build one, or half a dozen an they subscribe the funds; but it is highly unjust to the Indian rate-payer if such a building is being raised from the public purse. The question, indeed, is often asked why any church or church-establishment should be paid for out of public money? It is surely an egregious anomaly and an injustice that millions should be obliged to contribute towards the religious edification of a few.

SENEX.

NOTES FROM DHARWAR.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

DHARWAR, Oct. 16.

Since the beginning of this month the weather has been hot and close, with little or no wind, but we have been favoured with a few heavy showers, not sufficient, however, to fill the tanks in Dharwar and the immediate neighbourhood. The reports of the crops in the districts are everything that could be wished, and the young cotton is coming up splendidly. Should the dry winds during the two coming months not affect this crop, there will, it is expected, be a capital yield.

After a good deal of previous preparation the rifle-match came off in the Fort ditch at Dharwar on the 4th instant. The prize was a silver cup, valued at Rs. 50, given by Mr. W. M. Fletcher, the head of the Revenue Survey here. In addition to the cup there was a sweepstakes of Rs. 80, made up of subscriptions on the part of the competitors, some sixteen in number; so that this combined prize was worth competing for. The object of the match was to hit at a distance of 40 yards, at nine separate intervals, two moving *chatties* (earthen pots), in succession; that is, the maximum number of such *chatties* that could be hit was 18.

The following is the score of those who hit the *chatties* in the order of merit; and it will be seen that Mr. H. Barrett, of the Forest Deparment, was the winner of the cup and stakes, though closely followed up by Mr. Francis:—

Names.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	Total.
Barrett	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	0	0	2—11
Francis	2	2	1	2	0	2	2	2	0	0—13
Dunsterville	2	0	0	2	0	2	2	2	2	2—12
Price	2	0	2	2	2	2	2	0	0	0—10
Fletcher	0	0	2	2	0	2	0	2	0	2—8
Horsley	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	2	2	2—6
Young	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0—4
Dunn	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1—4
Turnbull	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	2	0—4
Watt	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—2
Muir	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—2

The remaining five competitors only made ducks' eggs.

The Dharwar theatrical entertainment has taken place, and though now a thing of the past, it is nevertheless a very pleasant reminiscence. A change in the programme had been rendered necessary owing to certain unforeseen circumstances, and this caused a little delay; but on Monday, the 11th, and again on Wednesday, the 13th instant, two performances were given at the Theatre Royal, Dharwar, in the fine large bungalow of Mr. Geo. Robertson. The pieces selected and the *dramatis personæ* were as follows:—

SWEETHEARTS.

In two Acts, by W. S. Gilbert.

Mr. Harry Spreadbrow	Mr. G. Dunn.
Wilcox (a gardener)	Capt. F. Symonds.
Miss Jenny Northcott	Mrs. Dunn.
Ruth (her housemaid)	Mrs. Capt. F. Symonds.

Act I. 1844. Spring. Act II. 1874. Autumn.

COOL AS A CUCUMBER.

By W. Blanchard Jerrold, in one Act.

Old Barkins	Mr. E. Reinold.
Frederick Barkins	Capt. F. Symonds.
Plumper	Mr. G. Dunn.
Miss Jessy Honiton	Mrs. Bell.
Wiggins	Mrs. Dunn.

The play of Sweethearts seems to me to illustrate a somewhat unusual sentiment—that is to say, the fickleness and indifference of *men*, and the constancy of *women*. It used to be looked upon, you know, at one time, in quite another sense; but it must be admitted that the author's idea is the one that will be the more acceptable to your lady readers. The chief interest of the piece is, of course, centered in the Spreadbrow and Northcott affair, Henry Spreadbrow and Jenny Northcott, taken respectively by Mr. and Mrs. Dunn, and their joint excellent acting frequently brought down the applause of the house. Much other interest, though necessarily of minor importance, were well sustained by Mrs. Buyers and Captain Symonds; and this original dramatic contrast went off very well indeed. But it was the farce of "Cool as a Cucumber" that took by surprise those of the audience who had no previous acquaintance with Mr. Dunn's very versatile histrionic powers. In his impersonation of the hero of the piece, Mr. Horatio G. B. W. W. T. Plumper, the *nonchalant* and grossly impertinent intruder into the domestic privacy of that astonished and naturally irascible gentleman—Old Barkins—his acting was simply admirable, and the audience were literally convulsed with laughter. The part of Old Barkins (Mr. Reinold) was so good, that I much doubt if his nearest and dearest friend would have recognized him. His *rôle* was well acted. Wiggins, the servant (Mrs. Dunn), though she had not much to do, did that little, as usual, well, and made several good hits. The sentimental characters of the piece, Miss Jessy Honiton (Mrs. Bell) and Barkins Junior (Captain Symonds), also were well and fairly rendered. Last, but not least, there was the orchestra, presided over, as the programme says, by a well-known local musician.

We have no regimental or stringed band in our station, it is true, but we possess a lady musician, who presided on the occasion in question, one whose equal in musical talent, and in expression and brilliant execution on the piano, but few stations, if any, in our Western Presidency can produce, and certainly *none* excel. To hear is to admire; to listen is to be enraptured, while

With sweetest touches she pierces our ears,
And draws us home with music.

The thanks of the station are, indeed, justly due to to those who have laboured so heartily and so well to cater for its amusement. The production of amateur theatricals in India is no easy task. It is fraught with many petty troubles, vexations, and *contretemps* which only an enthusiastic, but at the same time discreet, stage-manager can hope to cope with and conquer. But the Dharwar amateurs have been eminently successful in their dramatic ventures, and their two performances have been applauded to the echo. May the theatricals of 1881 be as good and clever as those we had the pleasure of witnessing during this present month.

BOMBAY.

TO-DAY.

Band at the Apollo Bunder, this evening.
Temple Bar, Concert, 9 p. m.

VESSELS ARRIVED.—The following vessel arrived on the 20th inst.:—Peshawar (s), from Calcutta. Yesterday:—Ben Alder (s), Liverpool; Huzara (s), Calcutta; Abyssinia (s), Bussorah; I. G. Dalhousie (s), Kurrachee; Maharaja (s), Calcutta; Henzand s), Rangoon; Flor de Dun, Mozambique.

VESSELS SAILED.—The following vessels sailed yesterday:—Narenta (s), to Trieste; Punjaub (s), Zanzibar; Madura (s), Coast and Calcutta.

MUSIC AT THE APOLLO BUNDER.—The following is the programme of music to be played by the band of H. M.'s Marine Battalion at the Apollo Bunder this evening:—

March	
Overture	Tancredi ..... Rossini.
Quadrille	Wedding ..... Strauss.
Selection	The Siege of Rochelle ..... Balfe.
Valse	Jungherren Tanze ..... Gung'l.
Galop	Wie der Wind ..... Faust.

CONCERT AT THE TEMPLE BAR.—Programme of music to be played at the Temple Bar this evening at 9 p.m.:—

March	
Overture	Hoch Vestereich ..... Strauss.
Overture	Der Geister Koenig ..... Adam.
Duett	Die Schwalben ..... Kuicken.
Waltz	Bei uns zu Haus ..... Strauss.
Potpourri	Trovatore ..... Verdi.

Quadrille	Operetten ..... Faulwetter.
The Brilliant Eyes	..... Stigelli.
Waltz	Bauernhochzeit ..... Koschat.
Finale	Bosvina della Forest ..... Battista.
Galop	Champagner Charli ..... Munzer.

PRINCE'S DOCK.—The s. s. Ben Alder entered the dock yesterday.

SUDDEN DEATH.—A Coroner's inquest was held yesterday at Sion on view of the body of Koodabux Boolan, a labourer, who died suddenly while passing along the road. The verdict was that the death of the deceased was caused by heart-disease.

SUICIDE.—A Coroner's inquest was held yesterday at the *Morgue*, Cammateepoors, on view of the body of Bhagee, woman, aged 30 years, who committed suicide by hanging herself with a rope fastened to a rafter of her house at Cammateepoora. A verdict to that effect was recorded.

THE LATE MORARJEE GOCULDAS.—Rao Bahadoor Nuggursett Premabhoy Hemabhoy, the chief Shett of the Shrawak Hindoo community of Ahmedabad, arrived in Bombay yesterday to pay a condolence visit to the family of the late Mr. Morarjee Gocouldas.

ENCOURAGING NATIVE TALENT.—It is stated that Sir T. Madhava Row, the Minister at Baroda, has decided to give a handsome present to a Mahomedan young lady, named Afeef, for having written a Persian poem called "Gulzar-i-Baroda" on the occasion of the marriage of His Highness the Gaekwar.

THE DECCAN.—From Aurangabad (Deccan), 20th, we learn that the "return monsoon," or Elephantas, commenced on the 18th instant: since then the weather is bracing, and has made the atmosphere very cool and pleasant. Slight showers of rain fall daily. The crops are in a most thriving condition, and articles of consumption are selling at cheap rates.

SENT TO THE REFORMATORY.—Nundram Kissunsing, a Hindoo lad, about 12 years of age, was yesterday convicted by Mr. C. P. Cooper on four separate charges of theft of sundry cooking utensils, belonging to four different parties residing at Dongree Cooly Street. He was ordered to be sent to the Sassoon Reformatory.

ASSAULT.—Mr. Duncan Mackay, the engineer of the Western India Spinning and Weaving Mills, formerly of the Manchester and Bombay Spinning and Weaving Mills, was yesterday fined Rs. 10 by Mr. Dosabhoy Framjee for assaulting Pestonjee Bazonjee, the spinning-master of the said mills, on the 6th September last.

ILLEGAL POSSESSION OF PROPERTY.

Umballa Division. General Hume, Commanding the Allahabad Division, might, had he not been appointed to the chief command in Southern Afghanistan, have taken Lucknow, but as he has been provided for elsewhere Sir Michael Biddulph is spoken of as the favorite for the Oudh command. If Sir Michael Biddulph does not get Lucknow, the Allahabad command will be offered to him.

NAINI TAL.—An influential meeting was held at Naini-Tal, on Saturday last, to consider a project for re-building the Assembly Rooms, which were carried away by the *debris* of the late landslip there. The project was favourably received, and no less than twenty-seven thousand rupees were subscribed at the meeting for the new building, which is to be completed by next season.

JEYPORE.—Colonel W. H. Beynon, the Political Agent of Jeypore, who was absent in England, on leave, when the late Maharaja of that State died, has return to Jeypore and assumed charge of the Agency from Colonel W. Tweedie. The latter officer will now proceed to Jodhpore to take charge of the Agency there.

GOVERNMENT AND THE IRISH LAND AGITATORS.

MR. PARNELL'S agitation began under a Conservative Government and went so far that Lord Beaconsfield in his manifesto made the Irish question one of the two great issues which the country had to decide. The murder of Lord Leitrim took place under a Conservative Government and when the apparatus of the Peace Preservation Act was in full work. All this is so obvious that the *Standard* itself does "not mean to say for a moment that the present Government is the only one which has shown itself afraid of dealing boldly with the Irish Question. It has been the fault of all English Governments more or less." There must be a reason for this common defect, if it be a defect, of all kinds of government; and if men would only take the trouble to think out what the reason has been and still is, we should have better hopes of witnessing that "dealing boldly with the Irish question" which the *Standard* insists upon, though in a very different sense. Nobody dissents from the proposition that the first duty of a Government is to preserve order. But there are two kinds of order. There is a real order, such as we have in England. There is a sham and superficial order, such as we have from time to time in Ireland. That external order ought to be preserved in Ireland we are all agreed. The whole power of the law ought to be brought to bear, but not more than the power of the law. If more police and more troops are wanted, we are all agreed that they ought to be sent. Irishmen cannot be allowed to blow one another's brains out, or to march in their thousands, as the Rev. Mr. Kane, the Protestant clergyman, threatened last Sunday, in full array of civil war. But the maintenance of this mere external order by bayonets and gallows is not enough. We have to convince ourselves as earnestly as we do in matters affecting our own personal concerns and private interests that a serious and bold attempt should be made to get to the root of the matter.

It is a very easy thing to denounce Mr. Parnell and to wish that he would go far enough to get himself locked up or transported. But this is nothing more than the talk of fretful impotence. Mr. Parnell is the enemy of this country, and he is in effect a revolutionary leader in face of a revolutionary situation. If English statesmen intend to circumvent him with the Irish people they will have to recognize the secret of his power, and they will have to accept what is true and sound, amid much that is unjust and ill-conditioned, in his view of what ought to be done. His solution of the Land Question does not seem to us to be a good one, but it is in the direction of a solution. It is a rude and coarse form of Mr. Bright's solution. What he argues for is "the payment of a fair and fixed rent not liable to recurrence, and, perhaps, near periods of revision; but the payment of a fair rent for the space of, say, thirty-five years, after which time there would be nothing further to pay." This may not be a very feasible scheme politically, nor a wise scheme economically; but there is no sedition about it. Even the *Times*, in speaking of it, admits that "it is possible, of course, rationally to recommend some scheme for the extinction of proprietary rights in land by the purchase of those rights through the means of such gradual and successive payments would as finally complete a sum equivalent to the value of the land." This particular scheme is not at all likely to commend itself to the Government, but it is certain that nothing will end the crisis save some measure which will give the tenant fixity and security. The *Times* condemns Mr. Parnell for for talking to his "infatuated hearers" of "the magic of property." Yet the magic of property is the key to the problem. Property is the only instrument by which the Irish can be raised in character and improved in condition. For such a people the sense of property is the true educator. Let us not be so discomposed by criminal acts and detestables language as to lose sight of this. Nations are what their institutions have made them. The Irish are what their institutions—imposed upon them by the bayonet—have made them. It would be worthy of a nation of the strong political capacity of Great Britain to try, resolutely, patiently, and, above all, courageously, some other set of institutions to replace those which are at this very hour shown to be the most desperate failures in history.—*Pall Mall Gazette.*

BURSTING OF A WATER TANK AT THE CRYSTAL PALACE.

A REMARKABLE occurrence took place on September 30th, in the grounds of the Crystal Palace. The fountains are supplied from two large water tanks at the north-west corner of the grounds. Their dimensions are 48ft. by 48ft., and 20ft. deep, each of them being capable of holding 600 tons of water, and connected by a large pipe, so that as the one empties it is refilled from the other. They are composed of cast iron plates, each 8ft. by 4ft., and one inch thick, rivetted together by strong bolts, and further strengthened by diagonal bars, in order to resist the tremendous strain at times put upon them. The engines were at work pumping water into these tanks for the fountains during the firework display in the evening. About 1-30 p.m., when 19ft. of water was in them, and the pumping nearly completed, the foremost of the tanks gave way with a report like a cannon, and an aperture 4spead fully 16ft. square, through which the water rushed in a flood. Parts of the tank, weighing several hundredweight, were carried to a distance of 250ft. One piece caught the limb of a large tree, and cut it off, afterwards embedding itself some distance in the earth. One of the servants of the company, who was engaged at the West Hill season-ticket entrance to the grounds, rushed out to see what was the matter, and was carried away by the water to a distance of 200 yards before he could be rescued. A similar circumstance befel a man who had just left his cart to take a drink of water at the fountain standing in the centre of the Crystal Palace Parade, but both men were rescued from the water without any serious injury. All the trees and shrubs in the vicinity of the waterworks were washed up, some of them being carried away, together with about 60 yards of the fence, down the Fountain-road, as far as the Sydenham-hill Station, a distance of three-quarters of a mile. That portion of the grounds surrounding the tanks was speedily a scene of confusion, the fall of the water from such a tremendous height (nearly 200 feet) leaving a hole in the ground after the downpour had ceased to a depth of 16 feet. But the damage was not confined to the company's premises only. The water rushing across the road and into the grounds of residents adjoining has created considerable damage, particularly to the gardens of Mr. Douglas, one of the directors of the Palace, whose stable was flooded in addition to the gravel of his walks being torn up and a number of choice trees and plants being washed away. Mr. Blomfield suffered in a similar manner, as did also Mrs. Milner and others. An examination of the portions of the tank, which it was possible to get at after the disaster, was most painful in the cause of the disaster—viz., an amount of corrosion which had taken place in one of the diagonal bars, from which it was evident three or four bolts had been missing for some time, causing the bar to give under pressure until it had gradually broken through, and afterwards slipped from its position, leaving the plates of the tank unsupported, and consequently not able to resist the pressure put upon them. No lives were lost, nor was any serious personal injury sustained.—*Globe.*

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